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Think for Thy-Self one good thought;
And know it to be Thine own.
'Tis better than a thousand gleaned
From fields by others sown.
—anon.

For Governor, the Hon. John H. Rethwell Sedalia's most talented citizen.

Why do so many people boast of ancient origin? It avails nothing for the present unless something is being done, equally as noble, as the thing they were doing, while being born, ages ago. Past blessings will not suffice, what is wanted is the present evidences of life and activity.

That six hundred thousand army of school children, who are being daily instructed about the iniquitous management of our State affairs, will strike blows at "Bossism," "Nesblism," and "Indianism" in the near future. Don't spend too much time lamenting the deplorable conditions that exist, but exert your energies in training and disciplining the forces you have at hand to better the conditions.

This constant "roar" we hear from different quarters about Booker T. Washington telling to "white folk" that the Negro must prepare himself for manual labor in the trades, agricultural etc., is all a Boomerang. Dr. Washington is O. K. Let us have five hundred thousand more such as he, laboring in different parts of our country and the too much talked of race problem will soon be knocked into a "cocked hat."

Locally we believe our political patronage is unequally divided. As Lincoln said, "a house divided against itself cannot stand," so we believe that our present condition, politically speaking, can not endure, unless something is done for the unrecognized element therefore, we advise our readers and patrons to begin to study local issues with sober sense and wise judgment. We have matters of supreme importance that we must consider.

The color question is being forced forward as an issue and it seems to be the last straw the Democrats can get hold of. Our worthy contemporary across the street, in a tirade against President Roosevelt and theories, asks why the Negro has been growing worse the past fifty years. It's plain. Fifty years ago the Negro was a Negro, but with three generations of Democratic blood tainting his system, he is doing much better than could be expected.

Huntington Banner. We don't agree with anyone that the Negro as a race is growing worse. They have shown wonderful improvement and will continue to do so if left alone.

—Marshall Republican.

Doesn't it tickle your spleen to read of how the Carmacks, Tillmans and Graves are going to curtail the constitution of its 14th and 15th amendments? How sadly have they been deluded!

They believe, since the late McKinley made many concessions to Southern whims, that anything they want, may be had of the American people, for the mere asking. There is a limit to all propositions, however. They have certainly reached this limit, when they have the "gall" of the Gauls to ask the abrogation of one of the fundamental principles which has maintained and will maintain the solidity of this Union. Then, too, they seem to be rather forgetful. These amendments are not mere appendages tacked on to the constitution for the sake of epeehsing partisan interest or hate, but are the results of systematized evolutionary growth, hence they are a part of our national development whose growth was facilitated by being nourished by the sacred blood of hundreds of thousands of fallen heroes. This life blood of the republic was spilled upon a thousand battle fields dedicated to the divine cause of human liberty and manhood equality. No band of "hot-heads," however managed, will be able to eradicate these principles from our national and natural development, therefore, we say as Garfield did of the assassination of Lincoln, "God lives in heaven and the government still endures at Washington." Moreover the efforts of the negro-phobists, instead of retarding our progress, are inciting us together and the future will not find us existing, enemies in divergent lines as heretofore, but together.

When they are once concentrated, ours shall be a brilliantly strong future of possibilities. For then we shall have a wise conservative leadership supported by an intellectually courageous following of well trained invulnerables.

The New York Evening Post is taking the lead among the great dailies of the country toward seeing that justice is done to the Negro," so says the Colo., Statesman. "It editorial utterances one, of which appears in a recent issue, are all being used effectively to aid in righting the injustices done the Negro. Its latest move is to solicit a communication from northern democratic leaders in reply to the following letter:

Dear Sir: It is frequently alleged in the Southern press that leading Northern democrats are in sympathy with the effort to disfranchise the Negro in the South, under the color of laws unequally enforced as between whites and blacks. To test the truth of this assertion, the Evening Post respectfully ask you to give it for publication your opinion. (Continued to page 4.)

Stanzas to the memory of Mrs. Effie Parker (nee) Hawkins. Written by C. H. Warrick for the CONSERVATOR.

One more chain in the link is broken;
Boundlessly this link has flown
Far beyond all toils and sorrow,
Far to the Great Unknown.

In that Great Celestial city,
Guided by the Savior's light,
There no sun e'er shines at noon-tide,
Neither moon nor stars by night.

Every day is Sunday with thee;
For thy labor is "well done."
You shall chant the songs with angels
Where the many are as one.

In that supernatural dwelling
You shall sleep and sweetly rest,
In the presence of Great Jesus;
Resting on His marvellous breast.

Chant your sweetest song fair angels!
Blow your bugles loud and clear;
For, to your celestial number
One more has been added there.

Angels brought thee wings from Glory,
Washed in splendor, rinsed in blithe,
Glued them on with care supernatural,
Bade thee rise and take thy flight.

Listen! 'tis the voice of angels
And the bugles clear and fast;
And we hear our loved one singing,
Home at last! home at last!

Hear her talking with the angels,
Father, Holy Ghost and Son,
Saying, "I left friends behind me
But Thy holy will be done."

Pains have left thy mortal body,
Flowers will blossom o'er thy head;
Mother Earth and leaves of Autumn
Serve for cover and for bed.

We will meet thee in bright Glory
Far beyond this mortal sky;
We will chant this praise forever,
"In sweet Bala by-and-by."

We take the liberty of publishing a list of Sedalia young men and women and their places of employment. From this the public may ascertain the relation Sedalia bears to the educational advancement of the race.

They are located as follows, viz:—

Miss Mayme Brown, Liberty, Mo.
Mrs. Anna Wright, Columbia, Mo.
A. H. Gravitt, Georgetown, Mo.
Mrs. A. D. Smith, Windsor, Mo.
Miss Julia Hayden, Lincoln, Mo.
Miss Celia Patterson, Speimetz, Mo.
Miss Arbonia Abbott, Humansville, Mo.
Miss Lillian Martin, Smithton, Mo.
W. H. Huston, Sweet Springs, Mo.
Miss Sarah Brown, Pilot Grove, Mo.
Misses Leonora Dillon, Estella Martin, Flora Wright, Mildred Walker, Minnecola Jackson, Sedalia, Mo.

Any friend desiring to communicate with them, will, we feel assured, be glad to have their address, which are as above.

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FEBRUARY 17, 1903



George R. Smith College.

Rev. I. L. Lowe, D. D., Ph. D., President.

CALENDAR FOR
1903—04

Fall term opens Sept. 22, closes Dec. 11. Winter term opens Dec. 14, closes Feb. 19. Spring term opens Feb. 22, closes April 28.

The purpose of the College is to give a thorough, practical christian education. It cares for the health and physical training, provides for refined social culture, gives careful attention to morals and manners, and aims to lead the student to a personal religious life.

The work of the College is divided into six general departments.

- I. Primary and Grammar Grades, providing a thorough drill in the elementary branches.
- II. Academy or College Preparatory, with Classical, Scientific, Biblical English, Normal and Commercial courses.
- III. Art Department—Drawing, Painting and Decorative work.
- IV. Music Department—Vocal and Instrumental Music, Theory and Harmony.
- V. Industrial Department—Sewing, Dressmaking, Cooking, Domestic Economy, Mechanical Arts, Agriculture.
- VI. College of Liberal Arts—Complete elective courses leading to the several academic degrees.

Work and Self-help.

A number of students boarding in the College are permitted to earn some part of their expenses by work in the building or on the grounds, provided they are willing and efficient. Liberal pay is allowed for all work done, but employment will not be continued to those who fail to do their work satisfactorily. Most students earn in this way \$2.00 a month; some earn larger amounts. Application for work should be made to the President in advance of coming.

A large number of students find employment in homes in the city, sufficient to meet expenses of board and tuition. The call for young ladies for these positions is always greater than the supply. Application for such employment should be made in advance through the President of the College. As far as possible we endeavor to safeguard those working in the city, but cannot be fully responsible for those outside the building. Only young men and women of established habits and character can be allowed this privilege of outside residence.

In case of minors this may be granted only on the written request of parents or guardians.

Expenses.

Board and room for four weeks \$8.00
Tuition — — — — 2.00
Use of laundry — — — .50
Music, Instrumental or Vocal for four weeks, two lessons per week — \$2.50
One lesson per week — 1.50
Use of instrument per month — .50
Use of typewriter in Commercial department, per month — .50
Rooms are lighted, heated, furnished with bedsteads, mattress, pillows, two quilts, mirrors, bowl pitcher and lamp. Students furnish for themselves, sheets and pillow cases, extra quilt and blankets, slop bucket, lamp chimneys, matches, soap etc.

A reduction of 50c per month is made from the tuition of candidates for the Ministry, and children of Ministers.

All bills are payable in advance the first of each school month. Money for students' expenses should be sent directly to the President of the College. Send by draft, P. O. order, express order or registered letter to:

Pres. I. L. Lowe,
Sedalia, Mo.

Government Land in Missouri.

For the benefit of those who expect to take part in the inspection of government land, which will be about September, I herewith give a list of acres and location.

Boonville District, 109,020 acres
Ironton District 122,800 acres
Springfield District 213,929 acres
Anyone desiring to see the location of these lands may see map of same at the CONSERVATOR'S office, 104 E. Main St. Other information will be given by mail any time.

Yours Respectfully,
D. L. Stewart

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Dr. J. M. Harris enjoys the comfort of a recently remodelled home. His residence now consists of modernized rooms closets and bath, well furnished and decorated within and without. The work was under the supervision of Architect Dillie, who excelled all his former work in elegance.

This comfortable home, with many others, adds greatly to the residential beauty of North Sedalia and speaks volumes for our progress in the community.

Mt. Olive, Mo.

Will Flemings is down with the fever.

Miss S. V. Simpson seems no better.

Mr. and Mrs. Adam Porter left Monday for Kansas City to take in the carnival.

Orville G. G. who was kicked on the head by a horse and is now in the hospital.